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SUBJECT: GVN WELCOMES GKR PEACE INITIATIVE

1. GVN SPOKESMAN BUI BAO TRUC JULY 10 COMMENTED ON GKR PEACE MOVE. FOLLOWING IS MOST COMPLETE ACCOUNT WE HAVE SEEN, TAKEN FROM DAILY NEWSPAPER CHINH LUAN OF JULY 11.

2. BEGIN TEXT: COMMENTING ON THE APPEAL OF PRESIDENT LON NOL, THE GVN SPKESMAN THIS MORNING DECLARED IN SAIGON "THIS IS AN ACTION WHICH DEMONSTRATES THE GOOD WILL OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KHMER REPUBLIC WHICH DESIRES TO RESOLVE THE WAR BY MODERATE MEANS. "MR. BUI BAO TRUC STATED, HOWEVER, THAT THE GOOD WILL OF ONE SIDE COULD NOT RESOLVE ANYTHING IF THE OTHER SIDE CONTINUED ITS AGGRESSIVE WAR AND BEHIND IT STOOD THE NORTH VIETNAMESE COMMUNISTS. BUT WITH REGARD TO THE NORTH VIETNAMESE COMMUNISTS, WHATEVER THE RESULTS WHICH APPEARED TO TAKE FORM THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS WITH THEM, PAST EXPERIENCE IN VIETMAN AND LAOS HAS SHOWN THAT THEY STILL CONTINUED DENYING THEIR PRESENCE IN THESE TWO COUNTRIES.

THEREFORE THE GOOD WILL OF THE GVN AND OF THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF OF LAOS IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO BRING ABOUT A COMPLETE SOLUTION TO THE MATTER. THE GVN ALWAYS ADVOCATES SETTLING ALL QUESTIONS IN A MODERATE WAY THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS, AND THEREFORE THE GVN VERY MUCH WELCOMES ANY SOLUTION WHICH COULD BRING REAL PEACE

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